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Our neighbor, the London Echo, is on a boom.

Lancaster is working hard for the Louisville Southern.

Hereafter a grand juryman gets two dollars a day during service, the same as a petit juror.

The Lancaster news tells of a man's having sent it \$10, from the West, on back subscription.

Hon. W. P. Taulbee has been selected as the Kentucky representative on the Democratic Congressional Committee in campaign work.

The Richmond Climax is one of our most valued exchanges, and people desiring the news of our neighbor county, would do well to take this paper.

Only one guard to every two prisoners conveyed to the penitentiary will be allowed compensation by the State.

C. P. Marcum has been arrested at Somerset, charged with having in his possession and passing counterfeit money in the shape of nickel coins.

The jury in the case of Mrs. Lucretia Munday, at Lexington, charged with having poisoned her husband, to obtain the insurance he carried on his life, resulted in an acquittal.

The Clerk of Rowan county in his testimony before the Legislative Committee said that twenty murders had taken place in the county since 1884. He said that where no whisky was sold no murder was committed.

Among the deaths at the alms house, in Philadelphia, was that of Henry C. Spalding, inventor of "Spalding's Glue." He was at one time worth \$80,000, but intemperate habits broke him.

Pineville is not satisfied after getting its new court house, jail and street railroad under headway, but is clamoring for water and gasworks, and the Messenger says both of the latter are being pushed by enterprising parties.

The Pineville Messenger says:

On account of a delay in transmission through the mails, the bid of John W. Mullins, of London, was not received before the opening of the bids on the jail and court house. His bid was for \$23,790, and although not the lowest, it was next to the lowest.

Our friend Geo. D. Burdett, who runs a big grocery store and sends good letters to the Interior Journal, (when the editor scares him up to it,) says: "The News office at this place will be scoured in the spring. God knows it needs it." The news remarks: Geo. Burdett is cleaning up his grocery store. One would hardly know it. Several gardens have been enriched.

The Louisville Post says:

The terrible Hatfield gang of desperadoes, now that they are safely housed in the Louisville jail, turn out to be a very ordinary looking lot of poverty stricken farmers. There's nothing savage or dangerous-looking about them at all, and they seem to be more intelligent than the average mountaineer. It's always the way—when these awful mountain desperadoes get down

here in the city they are very small potatoes. We have plenty of city hoodlums who can double-discount them in general toughness.

An exchange that sums it up as follows, is correct. It says: When the business men of town fail to advertise they diminish the importance and trade of a place, and permit more enterprising localities to take the letter from them. Although done for their individual interests, should be looked upon by the citizens of the town where they reside as public bene factors, and should be encouraged accordingly. The merchant who advertises very extensively is worth more to a town than forty who never show themselves in print, and for that reason should be given preference in local patronage.

Bill Nye says: "Don't attempt to cheat an editor out of a year's subscription to his paper or any other sum. Cheat the minister, cheat the doctor, cheat anybody and everybody, but if you have any regard for future consequences don't fool with an editor. You will be put up for office sometime, or want some public favor for your self or some of your friends, and when your lack is a "thing of beauty and joy forever," the editor will open upon you and knock your air castle into a cockle shell that the first fire. He'll subvert you and you'll curse yourself for a driving idiot, go hire some one to knock you down, and then kick you for falling."

A great newspaper is a mighty engine (I guess I am not the first man who said that, but ———) If I were to run such an engine a real, literary, political, social, locomotive, I'd fill her with the coal of conviction and the water of candor, and get the steam enthusiasm. Then I'd grasp the lever of intention with the hand of justice, and run her out upon the main track, hook on to the leading train, open the sand box and pull out to the next station on the road of progress, leaving the dead from the last disaster to be buried by those who love to linger about the deserted stations of the past. Steam would be reversed on account of warnings from ahead, but never on account of warnings from behind.— Railroad Review.

In our paper, the (Citizen) of 1818, is an obituary of Daniel Boone, by a correspondent signing "Surporter." Here it is:

"As he lived so he died, with his gun in his hand. We are informed by a gentleman direct from Boone's settlement on the Missouri, that early last month Col. Boone rode to a deer lick, seated himself within a blind raised to conceal him from the game. That while seated thus concealed with his trusty rifle in his hand, pointed toward the lick, the muzzle resting on a log, his face to the breech of his gun, his rifle cocked, his finger on the trigger, one eyes shut, the other looking along the barrel through the sights—in this position, without a struggle or motion, and of course without pain, he breathed his last so gently that when found next day by his friends, although stiff and bold, he looked as if alive, with his gun in his hands just in the act of firing. It is not altogether certain, whether a buck had come in the range of his gun which had been death to thousands, but it might have intuitively obeyed its old employer's mind and discharged itself. This hypothesis being novel we leave the solution to the curious."

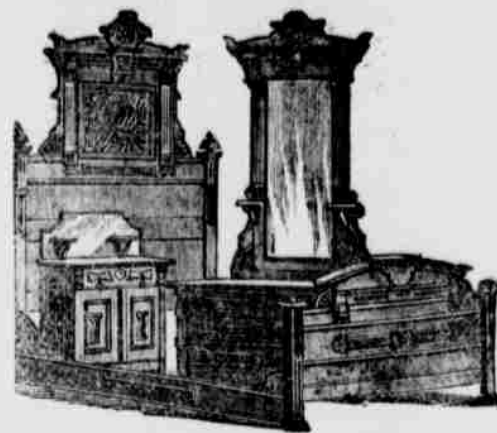
History says Boone died Sept. 26, 1820.

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